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SUBJECT: OU 7-13/14 Comprehensive RI/FS, Draft Ex Situ Treatability Study Work Plan  
(OPE-ER-70-99)

Dear Mr. Poeton and Mr. Winter:

Enclosed please find the draft EX Situ Treatability Study Work Plan. This document outlines our proposed approach to obtain implementability and performance data on this technology. Please review the document and provide comments to strengthen the treatability study. We would appreciate your comments within 30 days (on or before June 15, 1999). If for any reason this schedule becomes untenable, please call and we will make other arrangements.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure